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SUBJECT: DEATH AND ESTATE: MANVILLE KASHDIN

POST REQUEST TEHRAN ASSISTANCE IN CONCLUDING DEATH CASE OF US CIT MANVILLE KASHDIN WHO DIED IN DAR ES SALAAM ON APRIL 4, 1976. SUBJECT WAS EMPLOYEE OF UNDP. SUBJECT OBTAINED A 1975 LAND ROVER WHILE EARLIER TRAVELLING THROUGH IRAN. POST RECORDS INDICATE HE OBTAINED VEHICLE IN TEHRAN IN TRADE FOR PEUGOT 504 STATION WAGON WHICH HE OWNED. LAND ROVER WAS THEN SHIPPED FROM TEHRAN TO BUSHEHR FOR PURPOSES OF ONWARD SHIPMENT TO TANZANIA. HOWEVER, SHIPPING CONNECTION NEVER MADE AND TO POST KNOWLEDGE VEHICLE REMAINS IN BUSHEHR ACCUMULATING STORAGE CHARGES. FURTHER THERE EXISTS RIALS 74,000 BILL FOR SHIPMENT FROM TEHRAN TO BUSHEHR AND RIALS 10,138 BILLS FOR PHONE CHARGE SUBJECT INCURRED DURING BRIEF STAY WITH UNDP IN TEHRAN.

REQUEST POST CONTACT UNDP TEHRAN TO DETERMINE SPECIFIC INFORMATION RE THE LAND ROVER. DAR ES SALAAM AUTHORIZED BY WILL EXECUTOR TO SELL VEHICLE AND FORWARD PROCEEDS. THEREFORE, TO AVOID UNNECESSARY SHIPPING COSTS, REQUEST POST ATTEMPT TO LOCATE VEHICLE, SELL IT, AND SEND PROCEEDS LESS SHIPPING AND STORAGE CHARGES TO DAR ES SALAAM. WE REALIZE THIS SIZEABLE REQUEST BUT BELIEVE ENTIRE ACTION COULD BE CARRIED OUT BY TEHRAN UNDP OFFICE UNDER YOUR GUIDANCE. PROBLEM TO DATE HAS BEEN TO GET UNDP TO TAKE ACTION YET, AS POST AWARE, IN FINAL ANALYSIS SUCH CASES REMAIN CONSULAR RESPONSIBILITY. APPRECIATE POST EFFORTS AND WILL AWAIT YOUR FINDINGS.

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